

# NOTICE OF REVIEW **APDES Preliminary Draft Permit**

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program 555 Cordova Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501

# NOTICE OF REVIEW OF AN ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (APDES) PRELIMINARY DRAFT PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES

ADEC has prepared an APDES preliminary draft permit for Golden Valley Electric Association (GVEA) Healy Power Plant. The Preliminary Draft Permit and associated documents are available to the applicant for a 10-day review. Following the close of the 10-day applicant review period, DEC will prepare a draft permit and fact sheet for a formal 30-day public review period. Public comments will be accepted during the formal 30-day review period. You can access the documents on DEC's Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program webpage at: http://www.dec.state.ak.us/water/wwdp/index.htm

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## **Preliminary Draft Permit Review:**

**Start Date**: November 28, 2016 December 12, 2016 End Date:

**Permit No.:** AK0022942

**Applicant:** 

**GVEA** 

**Healy Power Plant** 

Mile 2.5 Healy Spur Road, Healy, AK 99743 758 Illinois Street, Fairbanks, AK 99707

#### **Proposed Project and Location:**

The discharge of GVEA Healy Power Plant once-through cooling water from coal-fired steam generators to the Nenana River. Outfall 001A discharges at 63° 51' 22.679" North (N) latitude and 148° 57' 08.170" West (W) longitude, and Outfall 002A discharges at 63° 51' 25.622" N latitude and 148° 57' 02.744" W longitude. Discharge may be directed at either or both outfalls. A mixing zone is proposed for each outfall for temperature and iron.

### **Administrative Record:**

The APDES preliminary draft permit, fact sheet, and associated documents are available for public review at the ADEC offices located in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, Soldotna, and Wasilla. Please contact the office of your choice to arrange for hard copies of the documents to be available for your review.

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If you would like to see any additional supporting technical documents, contact Marie Klingman.

The documents are also accessible from the DEC website at: <a href="http://www.dec.state.ak.us/water/wwdp/index.htm">http://www.dec.state.ak.us/water/wwdp/index.htm</a>

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